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FOR

OPERATING ENGINEER

FOR LANDSCAPE CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

IN

ALAMEDA, ALPINE, AMADOR, BUTTE, CALAVERAS, COLUSA,
CONTRA COSTA, DEL NORTE, EL DORADO, FRESNO, GLENN,
HUMBOLDT, KINGS, LAKE, LASSEN, MADERA, MARIN,
MARIPOSA, MENDOCINO, MERCED, MODOC, MONTEREY, NAPA,
NEVADA, PLACER, PLUMAS, SACRAMENTO, SAN BENITO,
SAN FRANCISCO, SAN JOAQUIN, SAN MATEO, SANTA CLARA,
SANTA CRUZ, SHASTA, SIERRA, SISKIYOU, SOLANO, SONOMA,
STANISLAUS, SUTTER, TEHAMA, TRINITY, TULARE,
TUOLUMNE, YOLO AND YUBA COUNTIES

**MASTER AGREEMENT
FOR NORTHERN CALIFORNIA
BETWEEN
LANDSCAPE CONTRACTORS COUNCIL
OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA
AND LOCAL UNION NO. 3
OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION
OF OPERATING ENGINEERS, AFL-CIO**

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CONTRACTS

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this 16th day of June, 1996, and extended and amended on June 16, 1999, by and between the LANDSCAPE CONTRACTORS COUNCIL OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA ("Employer") and OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL UNION NO. 3 of the International Union of Operating Engineers, AFL-CIO ("Union").

01.00.00 EMPLOYEES, CLASSIFICATIONS, MANNING, AND WAGE RATES

01.01.00 On all work covered by this Agreement (Section 02.05.00) when performed, and in all instances in which equipment used in the performance of work covered by this Agreement is operated, regardless of when the work was bid or let, such work shall be performed and such equipment shall be operated by Employees obtained in accordance with Section 04.00.00 and the Job Placement Regulations of this Agreement and they and each of them shall be employed in the classifications and at the wage scales as follows, including such additions as may be made in accordance with Section 20.00.00.

01.01.01 Notwithstanding any provisions of this Section 01.00.00 relating to manning, any piece of equipment involved in excavation for which no employee is setting line or grade, or performing work which historically has been performed by Assistant to Engineers, an Assistant Engineer shall not be required. If assistance is necessary, such assistance shall be performed by an Assistant to Engineer. In the event a violation is alleged, and a dispute exists which cannot be resolved between the Employer and the Union, any Individual Employer found to be in violation of this Section 01.01.01 by a Board of Adjustment shall forfeit the application of this Section on *ALL* said Individual Employer's jobs or projects for the period of time and in the manner prescribed hereunder:

- (1) *First (1st) Violation:* Said Section shall not apply for a period of three (3) consecutive months from the date said Individual Employer is found in violation by said Board of Adjustment and *manning* all Individual Employer's jobs or projects shall be in accordance with the requirements of Section 01.03.00 *Classifications, Manning and Rates*;
- (2) *Second (2nd) Violation:* Same application as in (1) above for a period of six (6) consecutive months;
- (3) *Third (3rd) Violation:* Same application as in (1) and (2) above for the duration of the Agreement.

NOTE: This Section shall not apply to any traditional crane work and any manning requirements on crane work shall be in accordance with Section 01.03.01.

01.02.00 Area Definitions. Section 24.00.00 provides a description of Areas 1 and 2 based upon Township and Range Lines. The Area 2 wage, as set forth in Section 01.03.00, shall be paid in all areas of Northern California not included in Area 1.

01.02.01 If all compensable time is spent by any Employee in Area 1, he shall be paid the Area 1 rate.

01.02.02 If two (2) or more hours of compensable time (straight or overtime) on any shift are spent by an Employee in Area 2, he shall be paid the Area 2 rate for the entire day.

01.02.03 The Employees employed by an Individual Employer in a permanent yard or shop or plant and Employees employed by an Individual Employer on residential construction projects (not camps), subdivisions, buildings of three (3)

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on the job. The provisions of this Section shall apply also when the Employee is working under Section 13.00.00 and 14.00.00 of this Agreement. The Individual Employer and the Union may mutually agree to other and additional means of notification of Employees.

06.22.00 Whenever an Employee is called out to work or employed on a Saturday, Sunday or a holiday, he shall be paid at least four (4) hours at the applicable overtime rate unless the overtime work immediately precedes his regular shift and he works or is paid for the first half of his regular shift, in which case he shall be paid for the overtime actually worked by the hour and half-hour. All time worked beyond the first four (4) consecutive hours on Saturday, Sunday and holidays shall be reckoned by the hour at the applicable overtime rate. On a two-shift or three-shift job if Employees are called out to work or employed on the first shift on a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, the above shall apply but if any Employees are called out or employed to work on a second or third shift on Saturday, Sunday or holiday all shift work Employees called out or employed shall be compensated in accordance with either Section 06.05.00 or 06.06.00, as the case may be.

06.23.00 In the event an Employee has completed his regular shift and returned to his residence, and is called back to perform his overtime work, such Employee shall be paid at least two (2) hours at the applicable overtime rate. In the event an Employee has not worked his scheduled shift and is called out to perform overtime work, such Employee shall be paid at least four (4) hours at the applicable overtime rate.

06.24.00 The holidays referred to in this Agreement are as follows: New Year's Day (January 1), President's Day (3rd Monday in February), Memorial Day (last Monday in May), Independence Day (July 4), Labor Day (1st Monday in September), Thanksgiving Day (4th Thursday in November), the day after Thanksgiving Day (4th Friday in November), and Christmas Day (December 25). Holidays falling on Sunday shall be observed on the following Monday.

06.25.00 *Overtime on All Work Covered By This Agreement in Areas 1 and 2.* The applicable overtime rates shall apply for the shift, work covered by 02.04.00, equipment, area, location and classification on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays and all time before a shift begins and after it ends.

06.25.01 *Overtime Areas 1 and 2 (all forty-six [46] Counties).* One and one-half (1-1/2) times the applicable straight-time hourly rate shall be paid for all work performed before a shift begins and after it ends and for all work performed on Saturdays. Double (2) the straight-time hourly rate shall be paid for all work on Sundays and holidays.

06.25.02 Assistants to Engineers shall be paid at the applicable overtime rate when required to "grease" or "fire up" prior to the start of the shift or after the shift has ended.

06.25.03 *Tide Work.* Except as provided for in Section 14.02.06, when an Employee is called out to work tide work, the minimum pay for such work shall be eight (8) hours at regular straight time including fringe benefits. In computing time to be paid for under this provision, each hour worked before 8:00 a.m. or after 4:30 p.m. and on Saturdays shall be considered as being one and one-half (1-1/2) straight-time hours. Each hour worked on Sundays and holidays shall be considered to be two (2) straight-time hours.

In the event an Employee or Employees are called out to work on Saturdays, Sundays or holidays, the applicable overtime rate shall be paid for each hour worked, and the minimum pay shall be six (6) hours at the overtime rate.

06.26.00 *No Restrictions on Production.* Subject to all State and Federal rules and regulations governing or applicable to the safety of Employees, place of employment and operation of equipment, no rules, customs or practices shall be permitted that limit production or increase the time required to do any work.

07.00.00 MANNING

07.01.00 The manning of equipment shall be in accordance with the provisions of Section 01.00.00 and this Section 07.00.00. In addition to the manning provisions therein contained, when an Engineer requires assistance in addition to any that must be provided for, he shall be assisted by an Employee covered by this Agreement (Assistant to Engineer, Deckhand or Registered Apprentice). (Refer to Section 07.09.00.)